

## **APPENDIX WP**

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**APPENDIX WP  
(WHITE PAGES DIRECTORY)**

**1. INTRODUCTION**

- 1.1 This Appendix sets forth terms and conditions that shall apply to switched-based CLEC's or CLECs leasing unbundled switched ports for End User Listings in White Page directories provided by the applicable SBC Communications Inc. (SBC) owned Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier (ILEC) and CLEC.
- 1.2 SBC Communications Inc. (SBC) means the holding company which owns the following ILECs: Illinois Bell Telephone Company, Indiana Bell Telephone Company Incorporated, Michigan Bell Telephone Company, Nevada Bell Telephone Company, The Ohio Bell Telephone Company, Pacific Bell Telephone Company, The Southern New England Telephone Company, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and/or Wisconsin Bell, Inc. d/b/a Ameritech Wisconsin.
- 1.3 As used herein, **SBC-13STATE** means the applicable above listed ILEC(s) doing business in Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, Missouri, Nevada, Ohio, Oklahoma, Texas, and Wisconsin.
- 1.4 As used herein, **SBC-AMERITECH** means the applicable above listed ILEC(s) doing business in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, and Wisconsin.
- 1.5 As used herein, **SBC-8STATE** means the above listed ILEC's doing business in Missouri, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Kansas, Texas, California, Nevada, and Connecticut.
- 1.6 The prices at which **SBC-13STATE** agrees to provide CLEC with White Page services are contained in the applicable Appendix Pricing and/or the applicable Commissioned ordered tariff where stated.
- 1.7 **SBC-AMERITECH** –Except where expressly stated, the terms and conditions for switch-based CLECs, CLEC's leasing unbundled switch ports, and conditions for including CLEC End User listings in **SBC-AMERITECH** White Page directories as well as distribution of such directories to CLEC and/or CLEC End User's is a product offering available through a non-regulated subsidiary of **SBC-AMERITECH**.

**2. SERVICE PROVIDED**

- 2.1 **SBC-8STATE** publishes White Pages (WP) directories for geographic areas in which CLEC also provides local exchange telephone service, and CLEC wishes to include alphabetical listings information for its End Users in the appropriate **SBC-8STATE** White Pages directories.
- 2.2 CLEC also desires distribution to its End Users of the WP directories that include listings of CLEC's End Users.
- 2.3 Subject to **SBC-8STATE**'s practices, as well as the rules and regulations applicable to the provision of WP directories, **SBC-8STATE** will include in appropriate WP directories the primary alphabetical listings of all CLEC End Users located within the local directory scope. The rules, regulations and **SBC-8STATE** practices are subject to change from time to time.
- 2.4 Prior to the issuance of a particular directory and at such time or times as may be mutually agreed, the CLEC shall furnish to **SBC-8STATE**, in a form acceptable to both Parties, subscriber listing information pertaining to CLEC End Users located within the local directory scope, along with such additional information as **SBC-8STATE** may require to prepare and print the alphabetical listings of said directory.
- 2.5 CLEC may provide CLEC's subscriber listing information to **SBC-8STATE** for inclusion in the WP directory via either a mechanical or manual feed of the listing information to **SBC-8STATE**'s directory listing database.
- 2.6 CLEC may choose to have its End User listings alphabetically interfiled (interspersed) **SBC-8STATE** subscriber listings or published in a separate section of the WP directory. **SBC-8STATE**, at its option, may impose an additional charge associated with separating CLEC End User listings and publishing them in a separate section of the WP directories. Sixty (60) days prior to the business office close date for a particular directory, **SBC-8STATE** shall provide CLEC a verification list of its subscriber listings, as such listings are to appear in the directory. The verification list shall also include Directory Delivery Address information for each CLEC End User. CLEC shall review this verification list and shall submit to **SBC-8STATE** any necessary additions, deletions or modifications within thirty (30) calendar days of the directory close date.
- 2.7 Each CLEC subscriber will receive one copy per primary End User listing of **SBC-8STATE** White Pages directory in the same manner and at the same time that they are delivered to **SBC-8STATE**'s subscribers during the annual delivery of newly published directories. **SBC-8STATE** has no obligation to provide any additional White Page directories above the directories provided to CLEC or CLEC customers after each annual distribution of newly published White Pages. For White Page directories and/or

White Page directories that are co-bound with Yellow Pages, CLEC may provide to **SBC-8STATE** written specifications of the total number of directories that it will require, at least sixty (60) days prior to the directory close. In that event, **SBC-8STATE** will deliver the remaining directories included in the CLEC's order in bulk to an address specified by the CLEC.

- 2.8 **SBC-8STATE** will provide CLEC with 1/8<sup>th</sup> page in each directory (where the CLEC has or plans to have local telephone exchange customers) for the CLEC to include CLEC specific-information (i.e., business office, residence office, repair bureau, etc.) in the WP directory on an “index-type” informational page. No advertising will be permitted on such informational page. This page will also include specific information pertaining to other CLECs. At its option, CLEC shall provide **SBC-8STATE** with its logo and information in the form of a camera-ready copy, sized at 1/8<sup>th</sup> of a page. The content of CLEC's camera-ready copy shall be subject to **SBC-8STATE** approval. In those directories in which **SBC-8STATE** includes Spanish Customer Guide Pages, this informational page will also be provided in Spanish at CLEC's request, subject to the guidelines set forth above.
- 2.9 At its request, CLEC may purchase “Informational Page(s)” in the informational section of the WP directory covering a geographic area where CLEC provides local telecommunications exchange service. Such page(s) shall be no different in style, size, color and format than **SBC-8STATE** “Informational Pages”. Sixty (60) calendar days prior to the directory close date, the CLEC shall provide to **SBC-8STATE** the “Informational Page” in the form of camera-ready copy.

### 3. **USE OF SUBSCRIBER LISTING INFORMATION**

- 3.1 CLEC authorizes **SBC-13STATE** to include and use the subscriber listing information provided to **SBC-13STATE** pursuant to this Appendix in **SBC-13STATE**'s appropriate printed WP directory and **SBC-13STATE**'s directory assistance databases. Included in this authorization is the exchange of extended area service listings **SBC-13STATE** provides for Independent Company directory publications and release of CLEC listings to requesting competing carriers as required by Section 271(c)(2)(B)(vii)(II) and Section 251(b)(3) and any applicable state regulations and orders. Also included in this authorization is **SBC-13STATE**'s use of CLEC's subscriber listing information in **SBC-13STATE**'s current and future directory assistance and directory assistance related products and services.
- 3.2 At CLEC's written request, **SBC-8STATE** shall transmit CLEC's End User listing information to designated third party directory publishers (limited to publishers that **SBC-8STATE** transmits its own listing information) for a one-time administrative fee of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per occurrence, per directory publisher.

#### 4. PRICING

- 4.1 The rates for the services described herein are identified on Exhibit I attached hereto and incorporated by reference. If CLEC provides its subscriber listing information to **SBC-8STATE**'s listings database, **SBC-8STATE** will assess a per book copy, per subscriber line, charge at the time newly published directories are distributed to CLEC End Users listed in the directory, plus an annual, per book copy charge at the time directories are delivered in bulk to CLEC. Included in this rate, CLEC will receive for its End User, one primary listing in **SBC-8STATE**'s WP directory, a listing in **SBC-8STATE**'s directory assistance database and, at the time of annual distribution of newly published directories, one copy of the directory provided to either CLEC's End Users, or in bulk to the CLEC location. **SBC-8STATE** has no obligation to warehouse WP directories for CLEC or provide WP directories to CLEC's End Users subsequent to the annual distribution of newly published directories.
- 4.2 **SBC-8STATE** has no obligation to provide any additional WP directories above the number of directories forecast by CLEC per Section 2.5 above. While **SBC-8STATE** has no obligation to provide WP directories to CLEC or CLEC End Users after the annual distribution of newly published directories, **SBC-8STATE** will in good faith attempt to accommodate CLEC requests for "Subsequent" directory orders (orders placed after the initial order/forecast is provided - see Section 2.5 above). Orders for directories above the forecast number(s) will be filled subject to availability. In such event, **SBC-8STATE** will provide the directories in bulk to CLEC and will assess a per book charge.
- 4.3 Where a CLEC End User requires additional listings to appear in the WP directory, **SBC-8STATE** will assess CLEC a charge for such listings at existing **SBC-8STATE** tariff rates. An additional charge at **SBC-8STATE**'s tariff rate applies when CLEC wishes to list an End User in **SBC-8STATE**'s directory assistance database but does not wish to have its End-User listed in **SBC-8STATE**'s WP directory. In addition, for those CLEC End Users served by CLEC via a **SBC-8STATE** unbundled switch port, CLEC may elect to have its End User unlisted and the listing not published in **SBC-8STATE**'s WP directory at **SBC-8STATE**'s tariff rate for those nonpublished, nonlisted services.
- 4.4 For inclusion of the CLEC "Informational Page" in the WP directory, **SBC-8STATE** shall charge the CLEC an annual fee for inclusion in the Metropolitan area book.

#### 5. ASSIGNMENT

- 5.1 Except as stated in Section 3 herein, **SBC-8STATE** shall not sublicense, assign, sell or transfer the subscriber listing information provided hereunder, nor shall **SBC-8STATE** authorize any other company or any person to use the subscriber listing information for any other purpose. **SBC-8STATE** shall take appropriate measures to guard against any unauthorized use of the listings provided to it hereunder (at least the same measures **SBC-8STATE** takes to protect its own listings from unauthorized use), whether by **SBC-8STATE**, its agents, employees or others.

## **6. LIABILITY**

- 6.1 CLEC hereby releases **SBC-8STATE** from any and all liability for damages due to errors or omissions in CLEC's subscriber listing information as provided to **SBC-8STATE** under this Appendix, and/or CLEC's subscriber listing information as it appears in the WP directory, including, but not limited to, special, indirect, consequential, punitive or incidental damages.
- 6.2 CLEC shall indemnify, protect, save harmless and defend **SBC-8STATE** (or **SBC-8STATE**'s officers, employees, agents, assigns and representatives) from and against any and all losses, liability, damages and expense arising out of any demand, claim, suit or judgment by a third party in any way related to any error or omission in CLEC's subscriber listing information, including any error or omission related to non-published or non-listed subscriber listing information. CLEC shall so indemnify regardless of whether the demand, claim or suit by the third party is brought jointly against CLEC and **SBC-8STATE**, and/or against **SBC-8STATE** alone. However, if such demand, claim or suit specifically alleges that an error or omission appears in CLEC's subscriber listing information in the WP directory, **SBC-8STATE** may, at its option, assume and undertake its own defense, or assist in the defense of the CLEC, in which event the CLEC shall reimburse **SBC-8STATE** for reasonable attorney's fees and other expenses incurred by **SBC-8STATE** in handling and defending such demand, claim and/or suit.
- 6.3 This Appendix shall not establish, be interpreted as establishing, or be used by either Party to establish or to represent their relationship as any form of agency, partnership or joint venture. Neither Party shall have any authority to bind the other nor to act as an agent for the other unless written authority, separate from this Appendix, is provided. Nothing in the Appendix shall be construed as providing for the sharing of profits or losses arising out of the efforts of either or both of the Parties. Nothing herein shall be construed as making either Party responsible or liable for the obligations and undertakings of the other Party.

## **7. BREACH OF CONTRACT**

- 7.1 If either Party is found to have materially breached this Appendix, the non-breaching Party may terminate the Appendix by providing written notice to the breaching Party, whereupon this Appendix shall be null and void with respect to any issue of **SBC-8STATE**'s WP directory published sixty (60) or more calendar days after the date of receipt of such written notice.

## **8. TERM**

- 8.1 This Appendix shall continue in force for one (1) year until terminated by sixty- (60) calendar days prior written notice by either Party to the other. Upon termination, **SBC-8STATE** shall cease using, for any purpose whatsoever, the subscriber listing information provided hereunder by CLEC, and shall promptly return such subscriber listing information to the CLEC.
- 8.2 Upon termination of the interconnection Agreement, this Appendix will be null and void with respect to any issue of directories published thereafter, except that the indemnification provided by Section 6 herein shall continue with respect to any directory published within sixty (60) calendar days of termination.

## **9. APPLICABILITY OF OTHER RATES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

- 9.1 Every interconnection, service and network element provided hereunder, shall be subject to all rates, terms and conditions contained in this Agreement which are legitimately related to such interconnection, service or network element. Without limiting the general applicability of the foregoing, the following terms and conditions of the General Terms and Conditions are specifically agreed by the Parties to be legitimately related to, and to be applicable to, each interconnection, service and network element provided hereunder: definitions, interpretation, construction and severability; notice of changes; general responsibilities of the Parties; effective date, term and termination; fraud; deposits; billing and payment of charges; non-payment and procedures for disconnection; dispute resolution; audits; disclaimer of representations and warranties; limitation of liability; indemnification; remedies; intellectual property; publicity and use of trademarks or service marks; no license; confidentiality; intervening law; governing law; regulatory approval; changes in End User local exchange service provider selection; compliance and certification; law enforcement; no third party beneficiaries; disclaimer of agency; relationship of the Parties/independent contractor; subcontracting; assignment; responsibility for environmental contamination; force majeure; taxes; non-waiver; network maintenance and management; signaling; transmission of traffic to third parties; customer inquiries; expenses; conflicts of interest; survival; scope of agreement; amendments and modifications; and entire agreement.



**APPENDIX WP****EXHIBIT I  
PRICE LIST**

<b>Directory White Pages Price Sheet</b>				
<b>Directory</b>	<b>Price Per Book Copy Delivered in Bulk to CLEC</b>	<b>Price Per Book Copy Delivered to CLEC End User</b>	<b>Price Per Single Sided Informational Page</b>	<b>Price Per Book Copy<sup>1</sup> Ordered After Initial Order</b>

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<sup>1</sup> Subject to Availability